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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Case: NI 127

Serial Nos.: 09/107,948

Title: LOADING PLATFORM SYSTEM WITH SLIDE UNIT

Examiner: Steven A. Bratlie.

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November 10, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Petition to withdraw Notice of Abandonment

This is a petition to the Commissioner to withdraw the Notice of Abandonment dated 10/01/03 received in case SN 09/590,905.

The reason for abandonment given: Applicants failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office Action mailed on 03/04/03.

The fact is however that no such Official action has been received by the undersigned.

Enclosed is a copy of the prosecution data sheet of the present application to show that, in the present case, no Official Action has been received by the undersigned following Applicants response dated 01/14/03 to the third official action, which had a mailing date of 11/21/02.

The Examiner official action allegedly mailed on 03/04/03 must have been lost in the Patent Office or in the mail (or glued to another envelope addressed to another customer, who has not forwarded the envelope to this office - as we are receiving mail sometimes from the US Patent Office), but, in any case, did not arrive at the Office of the undersigned.

Withdrawal of the Notice of abandonment is solicited. It is also respectfully requested that a copy of the Examiner's Official action dated 03/04/03 is supplied and a new date for response is established.

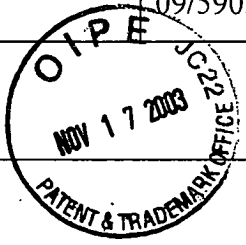
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PROSECUTION DATA SHEET

Docket No.: NI 127

Title:	LOADING PLATFORM SYSTEM WITH SLIDE UNIT				
Pages:	30	Claims:	24	Drawings:	10
Filing Date:	09/ June/00	INCLUDED	YES	NO	RECEIVED NOV 20 2003 GROUP 3600
SN:	09/590,905	Declaration		x	
		Assignment		x	
		Small Entity claimed	x		
					
Notice to File Missing Parts dated:	08/24/00		Attended to:	10/16/00	
First Official Action:	06/22/01	Sent to client:	06/26/01	extension	Reminders:
Clients Response:	12/14/01	Response Date:	12/21/01	3 mos	09/29/01
Second Official Action:	03/04/02	Sent to Client:	03/07/02	extension	Reminders:
Clients Response:	08/29/02	Response Date:	09/04/02	3 mos	05/06/02 08/19/02
Third Official Action:	11/21/02	Sent to Client:	11/25/02	extension	Reminders:
Client's Response:	12/11/02	Response Date:	01/14/03		
Further Actions (CPA, CIP, Div, Appeal) prepare additional file if needed					
NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE:			ISSUE FEE PAID:		
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